

State Legislative Update for April 16 - 22, 2016

House:

<u>HF3252</u> was passed 125-0. This is Rep. Newberger's bill that would entitle certain veterans and their spouses to have the experience requirement for obtaining a real estate broker's license waived if the licenses were cancelled during or soon after an active duty tour by the veteran. Veterans may retake the broker exam under the terms of the waiver.

The Ways and Means committee heard the State Government Finance supplemental budget proposal on Thursday. The proposal, which was combined with the supplemental budgets for health and human services and public safety includes Veterans related sections that were laid out in last week's update. The bill heads to the floor of the House for a vote by the entire body.

Next week:

No Veterans related bills are scheduled in committee or on the floor. Bills could be added to agendas.

Senate:

The Finance committee passed their version of the supplemental budget. It included sections of interest to Veterans, which were described last week. The budget now awaits a full vote of the Senate.

Next week:

<u>SF3085</u> is scheduled for a full vote of the Senate on Monday, April 25. This is the companion bill to HF3252 which was passed by the House on Monday. Bills could be added to agendas.